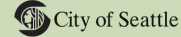


Alaskan Way Viaduct & Seawall Replacement Program



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Pier 48 warehouse demolition starts mid June

This June, crews working for the Washington State Department of Transportation will begin demolishing the warehouse building located on Pier 48 on Seattle's waterfront. The building sits on unstable piles damaged by marine borers, is prohibitively expensive to repair, and must be removed.

Where is Pier 48?

Pier 48 is located at 201 Alaskan Way between the Washington State Ferries Terminal at Colman Dock and the Port of Seattle's Pier 46.

What can you expect?

Noise

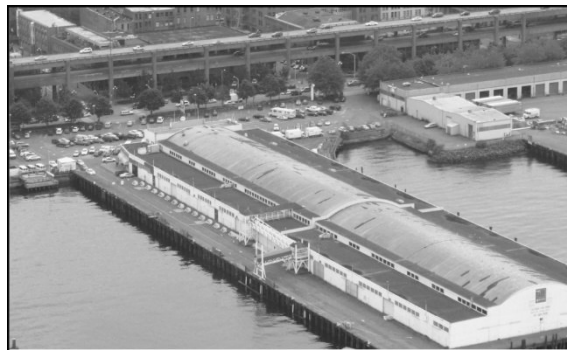
Demolition activities will take place during typical daytime business hours. During the day, you may experience additional noise from wrecking equipment and hauling vehicles. The noise is not expected to exceed the allowable daytime noise levels set by the City of Seattle's noise ordinance.

Parking

The pay parking area between the warehouse and Alaskan Way will be closed to the public indefinitely. After demolition is complete, the area will be used for construction staging and contractor parking for the Alaskan Way Viaduct and Seawall Replacement Program.

How long will demolition take?

Demolition is scheduled to start after June 14 and is expected to last up to four months.



Crews are demolishing the warehouse located on Pier 48. Demolition is expected to be complete in fall 2010.

For more information about this or other work related to the Alaskan Way Viaduct and Seawall Replacement Program:

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